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| CU | Advertisement entitled "LOAD and FEED BIG BALES from YOUR TRACTOR or PICKUP" DewEze Super Slicer, DewEze Mfg. Co. |
| CV | Advertisement entitled "Bale Processor" Vermeer Manufacturing Company |
| CW | Internet advertisement entitled "HAYBUSTER" Dura Tech Industries International, Agricultural Product |
| CX | Internet advertisement entitled "8610 BALE PROCESSOR" Case IH Agricultural Equipment |
| CY | Advertisement entitled "Bale Processor" from Jiffy by Westward Products Ltd. |
| CZ | Advertisement entitled "Buffalo Round Bale Bunk Feeder Reduces Hay Waste" from Buffalo Equipment |
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